

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 145**HOUSE BILL NO. 1758****By Representatives Todd, Ulysses Jones****Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1596****By Senator Norris**

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 5-17-101, relative to county-wide fire districts.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 5-17-101, is amended by adding the following as a newly designated subsection:

(e) Any county choosing to create a county-wide fire district as authorized by this section, may, with the approval of the local legislative body, mandate that all interlocal agreements and contracts with providers for services permitted under this section contain performance based criteria designed by ensure timely response and effective services, the exact methodology of which is to be determined by local ordinance.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2007, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: April 30, 2007

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JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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RON RAMSEY, SPEAKER
SENATE OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 10th day of May 2007



PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR